

# The Great American Woodstove Changeout

## RADIO SCRIPT CONCEPTS

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**Announcer:** There's nothing like a fire in your old woodstove on a cold night. Especially when heating prices are through the roof, and firewood is readily available.

But, did you know that using an old woodstove can negatively impact your health, and can hurt air quality?

The problem is woodsmoke.

Old woodstoves produce an excessive amount of smoke. The particle pollution found in woodsmoke can hurt your family's health. It can also impact indoor air quality.

The solution...replace your old woodstove with a more efficient stove. You can eliminate approximately 70 percent of the smoke by switching. And, it requires 1/3 less wood for the same amount of heat!

Through the Great American Woodstove Changeout in October, participating retailers in the area will be offering discounts on cleaner burning stoves.

As a partner in the changeout, The Southwest Pennsylvania Air Quality Partnership is providing financial assistance to help low income families replace their stoves.

Replace your woodstove and protect your health!

For more information, go to [www.woodstovechangeout.org](http://www.woodstovechangeout.org).

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**Announcer:** Woodstove users! This fall, before you light that fire, replace your woodstove to protect your health and safeguard neighborhood air quality.

Burning wood in an old woodstove can produce an excessive amount of wood smoke. The particle pollution found in woodsmoke can hurt your family's health.

The solution...replace your old woodstove with a cleaner burning stove through the Great American Woodstove Changeout.

During the month of October, participating retailers will be offering discounts on cleaner burning stoves. Financial assistance is also available from the Southwest Pennsylvania Air Quality Partnership families that qualify for low income assistance.

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